"CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN AND BOYS."

It must be a relief to newspaper readers to find one firm

advertising good clothing instead of cheap.

We started in business to fill a long-felt want in Richmondto have on sale the good and the best of everything, at moderate prices. We won't sell any merchandise where quality is sacrificed to produce cheapness.

Our \$25 Suits and Overcoats equal those made to order for

Forty Dollars.

Our \$7.50 Suits and Overcoats are warranted to give entire

satisfaction. Gans-Rady Company

Entire Building. 1005 E. Main St. Opposite Postoffice.

ALL ARE READY FOR THE FRAY

Democrats and Republicans Put in Hard Day's Work.

CHAIRMAN GORDON'S ADDRESS.

He Appeals to the Voters to Support the Straight Ticket on Tuesday-Live Campaign

The Democrats of Richmond did a great deal of work yesterday looking to the geting out of a full vote on Tuesday.

The Executive Committee of the City Democratic Committee held a meeting in the office of Chairman Gordon and arranged the final details for the work on

ection day. Chairman Gordon yesterday issue the following appeal to the voters of the city: To the Voters of the City of Richmond: In several days a great political contest will end, and a government, which has ever prided itself upon being just, will again be submitted to the consent of the governed. Happily, no member of either great party has yet denied the wisdom of this frequent recurrence to the source of civil authority, as to the United States proper. In the light of recent events, it is not pertinent to ask how shall this time-honored principle go unchallenged, and how soon will it be until the balance of power, even in our own country, will be held against the consent of the governed,

or by a consent extorted under duress of one form or another?

But, in spite of broad hints at whole-sale discharges and predictions of national disaster, every man still has the right to express his personal convictions, and the exercise of this right is not only a privi-lege, but a duty. No citizen is justified in repudiating that obligation, unless he is too weak to have convictions. Doubt is not a sufficient excuse for any man who

as the intellect to decide.
From time immemorial the right of suffrage has been exercised through the medium of party organizations, based on the principle of representation. Such organi-zations are composite in their character, tures in the resulting policies. It is for him to choose the party which has repro-duced most of his own likenesses. The his-tory of pure democracies is a colossal monument of failure. In a republican It is passing strange that many who applaud submission to the majority in mat-ters social, religious and financial, should deny its wisdom in politics. If there is anything stranger and more inconsistent, it is the attitude of those who, having acth is the attitude of those who, having accepted honorable office at the hands of a political organization, seem to consider it almost an insult when they are requested to merely shout a word of encouragement to other candidates of the party who are

struggling outside of the bomb-proof.

DO THE BEST YOU CAN. But some will say, none of the parties suit us, and what must we do? We answer at once, as we have already mated, do the best you can. The man mated, do the pest you can. The man who sits in sublimated criticism on all candi-dates and all platforms is apt to be more of a cavalier than a patriot. There are now seven national tickets before the peonow seven national tickets before the peo-ple, with policies ranging from socialism to plutocracy, and with candidates filling the gap between McKinley and Bryan, Roosevelt and Stevenson. He must be an individualist, indeed, who cannot find on individualist, indeed, who cannot find on this Jong pathway a spot of ground clean enough for his feet, or a candidate worthy of his company. Fellow-citizens, for one day let the harmless partridges, and squir-rels, and old hares enjoy their native free-dom; and, on the 6th of November, direct your ammunition against some political evil, and in favor of some civil good. Even wild ducks can safely and properly be let alone!

be let alone! We make this appeal for attendance at the polls, irrespective of party lines, not because we are non-partisan, but we realize that this election is to be decided between the Democratic and Repualican between the Pernocratic and Republican parties, and we believe that an honest, tion will convince every patriotic citizen that the Democratic policies and caril-dates should preval. Even those citizens who find something in each furty to condemn, should make a choose of evis, and not allow the body politic to suffer the ravages of a fatal malady because, perchance, it is menaced by a toothache.

From the founding of our nation two From the founding of our nation two principles of government have strugged for the mustery. Alexander Hamiston favored a liberal construction of the Constitution, the artificial division of society into classes of high and low degree, and a titled noblidy. He saw in the great mass of the plain people a danger, rather than a hulwark to the State. His prefere we hulwark, to the State. His prefere ice a bulwark, to the State. His present for aristocratic ideals, too soon caused him to forget the struggle that the colonies had just waged against the principles of the English throne. He wished to mould the new government in the old pattern and a arithlessed less from whose descend to all below.

to this system was that of Thomas Jefferson, who favored a rigid adherence to the Constitution and the principles decured in the Decaration of principes are treat in the becaration of Independence, the equality of all men ba-fore the law, and the consent of the gov-erned as the only proper basis for the ex-sercise of civil authority. Jefferson con-tended that the individual citizen was the tended that the individual difzen was the unit of political power, and that the State would be contented and prosperous just in proportion as his rights were respected.

The principles of Jefferson prevailed, and have been perpetuated by the Democratic passity. The Republican party itself has salves and powders will appreciate to the full the merit of Stuart's Catarry, Tableta.

though it has frequently violated them in spirit.

HAMILTON AND JEFFERSON.

The theories of Hamilton and Jefferson are again squarely at issue in the present campaign. The Democratic party once more uppeals to the Constitution of the United States and the Declaration of Inwho believes in those immortal documents to rise in their defense. If the principles which they counciate were worth the blood of patriots in 1776, are they not worth the dollars of partiots in 1900? And even conceding that Messrs. Carnegie, Rockeleker & Co. have full dinner-palls, is not that question a sufficient argument for all who believe that those principles stoud be maintained? Of course, we do not expect, or ask for the vote of any man in the city of Richmond who honestly believes that the policy of the administration is in accordance with the Constitution is in accordance with the constitution. the give that instrument an intelligent reading. In fact, it would not be amiss if all of us would take time to read the Constitution and Declaration carefully before we sate the rolls on the 6th instant fore we go to the polls on the 6th instant

Perhaps we would find some articles of our national faith to which we have paid too fittle attention in recent years. The Republican party seems to think that the doctrine of equality before the law has been fully satisfied when every man receives like treatment from the judicial branch of the government. This is not a correct view. The principle is much broader. It involves not only the law in its restricted sense as administered in the courts of justice, but embraces the entire exercise of civil authority vested in all three departments of our government. It is hardly an exaggerated estimate to say, that legislation touches the citizen ten thousand times more frequently through the executive than it does through the judiciary. This is forcibly illustrated in the imposition and collection of taxes. It is the right of every citizen, not only to equality before the law in the protect tion of life. Enerty and property, but also in the enjoyment of all the advantages which the government has to bestow. The Democratic party contends for this larger equality, which is as free from partiality in the halls of legislation as it is in the courts. The Republican party does not say in so many words that equality shall not extend beyond the judiciary, but it does worse. It is constantly enacting some laws and failing to execute others in uch a manner as to make that equality

DEPARTED FROM CONSTITUTION. The Republican party makes no seriou attempt to justify its departures from the Constitution, or the inconsistencies of the present administration. Its first, last words of old Trapbols, as he closes his bony and covetous fingers over the coin, exclaiming in tremulous apprehension of its escape, "Me gold, me darling gold," And again we say, if there is any man in the city of Richmond who thinks that a full dinner pail and a fat pocket book (conceding that both exist) are a sufficient urice for broken fath, and national in price for broken faith and national dis-honor, let him vote the Kepublican ticket, but, before he reaches that conclusion, let him justify it before the bar of his con-

It is conceded by many Republican-Democrats and a respectable number of Democratic-Republicans, that trusts, the spiri of conquest, the Philippine war, the treat-ment of Porto Rico, increased taxation, and a large standing army are all great evils. We have attempted to show that some of them are fundamental in their character, affecting the very framework of the covernment. No one believes that our intitutions are in imminent danger of colfor saying, that "The beginning of strifis as when one letteth out water."

WHAT CAUSES DEAFNESS?

The Principal Cause is Carable, But Generally Overbooked.

Many things may cause deafness, and Many things may cause dealness, and very often is difficult to trace a cause. Some people inherit deafness. Acute diseases like searlet fever sometimes cause deafness. But by far the most common cause of loss of hearing is catarrh of the head and throat.

A prominent specialist on ear troubles

gives as his opinion that nine out of ten cases of deafness is traced to throat trouble; this is probably overstated, but it is certainly true that more than half of all cases of poor hearing were caused

by entarrh.

The catarrhal secretion in the nose and threat finds its way into the Eustachian tube and by clogging it up very soon affects

tube and by clogging it up very soon affects
the hearing and the hardening of the secretion makes the loss of hearing permanent, unless the catarrh which caused
the trouble is cured.

Those who are hard of hearing may
think this a little far-fetched, but any one
at all observant must have noticed how a
hard cold in the head will affect the hearters and the catarrh it loss predected. ing and the catarrh, if long neglected, will certainly impair the sense of hearing

and ultimately cause deafness.

If the nose and throat are kept clear and free from the unhealthy secretions of catarrh, the hearing will at once great-ly improve and any one suffering from deafness and catarrh can satisfy themselves on this point by using a fifty cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new catarrh cure, which in the past year has won the approval of thousands of catarrh sufferers as well as physicians, because it is in convenient form to use, contains no cocaine or opiates and is safe and pleas-

ant for children as for their elders.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is a wholesome combination of Blood Root, Gualacol, Eucalyptol and similar antiseptics, and they cure catarrh and catarrhal deafness by action upon the blood and mucuous memof the nose and throat.

As one physician aptly expresses it:
"You do not have to draw upon the imag-"You do not have a draw upon the imag-ination to discover whether you are get-ting benefit from Stuart's Catarrh Tab-lets: improvement and relief are apparent

those who advocate the correction of these evils at some indefinite time in the future. We would say, that such a course is illogical and unscientific in the extreme. What would an architect think of a manson who deviated the perpendicular in the foundation, hoping to correct his error at the fifth story? And who does not know that the best way to deal with an evidence that the best way to deal with an epidemic is to prevent its appearance? There is

but one right way to treat evil, and that is, to contest its first step.
ONLY ONE ARGUMENT. There is only one argument advanced by our opprhents against a prompt repudiation of the Republican policies—Mr. Brytion of the Republican policies—Mr. Bry-an's views on the money question. That thread-bare scare-crow is fast losing its last vestige of respectability. In 1895, it barely served its purpose, and, no matter what may be the result of this election, it will hardly deceive those who intend to use it in 1990. It is pitlable to see men who were in a frenzy of delight at the success of Mr. Cleveland's tariff policies, now going Mr. Harrison and Mr. Reed one better, end upholding, either actively or passively, not only the McKinley protec-tion tariff, but the Republican Porto Rican tariff. It is almost inconceivable, that men who have given their blood, their

the Constitution, should now be willing to for them to try and make Mr. Bryan the apegoat for such radical changes. They do him too much honor when they give him credit for controlling the sober conviction of a lifetime. The whole truth is, that the spirit of sordid commercial-ism is invading the South, and many, who desire to go over to the Republican party because of its class legislation, are using Mr. Bryan as an excuse fof trans-ferring their allegiance. If the Kepubli-can party is worthy of any confidence, it can safely be trusted to enact such finan-cial legislation in the next Congress, as will allay the fears of the most timid; aws which Mr. Bryan has pledged him-self to enforce. If it is unworthy of con-idence, it should be defeated. We have no word of criticism for those who have ome convinced that Democratic princi-s, as we have defined them, are wrong, and that Republican policies, as they are

> of Republicanism. Fellow citizens, if you love the sacred institutions of the country, rebuke the party that is dragging them in the mire

> openly manifested, are right; but we do not say, that such a change of sentiment demands a frank disavowal of Democ-

racy, and an equally frank acceptance

the next four years, our representation in State and District Conventions will be and Stevenson in this election. constantly strive to increase the number of our delegates in those conventions, and give to the chty of Richmond the influence to which it is entitled. The only way to do this, is to get every Democratic voter to the polls, and we appeal to you to put forth your whole strength. put forth your whole strength

JAMES W. GORDON, Chairman, C. D. C. STATE HEADQUARTERS.

Chairman J. Taylor Ellyson was busy at headquariers yesterday winding up the affairs of the campaign, which practically closed in the State last night. There were a number of meeting scheduled for yes-terday and last night, and speeches will be in the few counties to-morrow courts occur on that day. But the day will be largely given up to getting ready for poiling a big vote on Tuesday and the giving of final instructions to the lieutenants of the several county and city chairmen throughout the State. Chairman Ellyson is confident of the

return of a solid delegation of Democratic members to the next Congress, and of a large Bryan and Stevenson majority in the State. He said yesterday that, while the vote might not be as large as that polled in some other contests, he was sure the Democrats would not suffer by the failing off, as it would apply to both sides. He said the Republicans had be active in several sections of the State, but their activity had been confined to spots, and was by no means general. He was serene as a May morning over the ok, and says the party will show up all right. FALSE RUMOR.

In some manner or other, the source of which is not known, rumor has gained currency that the Wm. R. Trigg Company

currency that the Wm. R. Trigg Company has offered an inducement to their employes if they would cast their ballot in favor of McKinley.

Mr. W. C. Preston, counsel for the Trigg Company, was seen regarding the rumor yesterday. "I don't know how such a rumor could have gained currency There is not a word of truth in it. On the content, the Trigg Company, the Trigger of the Trigg contrary, the management of the Tris Company desires everyone of its employ to be entirely free in his exercise of th right of suffrage and no inducement influence of any kind has been or will

exerted upon any man in their employ to east his vote in any manner whatsoever. "This, I know, has been the policy of Mr. Trigg during the many years that he has been an employer of labor, and no man is more anxious than he that all of he

The W. R. Trigg Shipbuilding plant will close at 3 P. M. Tuesday in order that al employes may have ample time to

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

Captain Lumb visited the works of the W. I. Trigg Commany yesterday and during the dinner hour made a speech to the employees. One hundred or more listened attentively and appeared deeply interested in the issues of the canvass. Captain Lamb discussal the "full dinner pall," showed why prosperity had come and who it had reached, and said that the trusts were absorbing all the benefits therefrom. He referred to the ship yards as an enterprise that had come that the ship Virginia would be built by the Trieg Company. CAMPAIGN NOTES.

Triss Company.
There has been a good deal of betting in Richmond on the result of the presi dential election within the last few days. The wagers, as a rule, have not been large.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA. Those who are taking the Bryan end

Mr. J. Hassins Hossen, who has been stumping the State for the Democrats, was in the city yesterday. He has been up in the Tenth District, and is fully convinced that Mr. Flood will be elected to Congress. He says Mr. Flood. vinced that Ar. Flood win be elected to Congress. He says Mr. Flood's chances have wonderfully improved within the last week or two.

Mr. Hobson has an appointment to the Francia to make the last week or two.

speak at Emporia to-morrow, but it is probable that he will be transferred to

probable that he was be classerred to Powhatan.

General Edgar Allan has issued his reply to the circular on his record, gotten out by the City Democratic Committee. The City Electoral Board met yesterday afternoon and named several judges and clerks to fill vacancies caused by resignation.

nation.

Captain Lamb spoke at Quinton, in New Kent, last night. He will make his last speech of the canvass at Ettricks to-mor-

row night.

The Republicans will hold their final meeting in this city on Oregon Hill to-morrow night. General Edgar Allan and Mr. Hugh Gordon Miller will be the

On account of the rain, the Republicans did not hold their contemplated big rally at Gayton yesterday.

HEARD ON CAPITOL HILL.

Interesting Items Gathered from the

The Department of Public Instruction has appointed Mrss Zome Granam, of Graycon, and Miss Lucy Harlow, of Augusta, to scholarships in the Peabody Normal College at Nashville, Tenn., ren-dered vacuut by the lambre of two of the Verginal students to return to the college. two young ladies were appointed on the result of the competitive tion help and summer, both of them making more than the required average and coming next after the successful appli-

The Capitol and State Library buildings will look like "banquet salls descrited" on Tuesday, as nearly all the State offi-

on Tuesday, as nearry all the State offi-cers and cierks will be absent, in order to cast their votes in the election. Coloniel Richardson, Treasurer Har-non and Capian R. T. McLeod have al-ready left for their respective homes, and will not return until Wednesday or Thursday. libursday. Judge John G. Dew will leave for his

home in King and Quien to-day, and Governor Tyler will go to Pulaski to-mor-Attorney-General Montague will speak at Rocky Mount to-morrow; Martinsville to morrow night, and will go on from the latter place to Danville to vote. Secretary Lawless and Mr. Hankins will go to

heir homes to-morrow night, and Co.o.

Marye and Mr. C. Lee Moore will go to Accountry and the same time.

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Most of the clerks in the offices of the

Treasurer and First and Second Auditors vote without the city, and w.li leave for their respective homes to-morrow. So there will be very little business trans-acted in any of the State offices on Tues-

Librarian Scott, General Hill, Commissioner Koiner and Dr. Southall also re-tan their citizenship in their respective counties, and will be absent on Tues-

The Governor has appointed Mr. N. C

ic. The following charters have been sent to the office of the Secretary of the Com-monwealth to be recorded: Keene's Ce-ment Co., Abingdon, and South Boston Electric Light and Power Company. The following announcements for Farm-

ers' Institutes to be held in the Second District have been made: Toano, Novem-ber 13th; Big Bethel, November 14th; Church and, November 15th; Ivor, Novem-

The Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners of the State of Virginia held a meeting yesterday afternoon and made he following turchases of century bonds
 Scott & Stringfellow
 \$10,000601.10

 John C. Williams
 10,000601.12

 M. T. Cooke, Norfolk
 31,500601.13
 Scott & Stringfellow 10,000791. Scott & Stringfellow 4,000@9L40

States Government officials in regard t Virginal's part in the recent Spanish American war. The book will make interesting reading, and well be after the order se issued by the Governors of many

A FIERCE FIRE.

Large Tenement House in Newport (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., November 3.— The Eastman tenement building was burned this afternoon in one of the fiercest and most unmanageable fires eve est and most unmanageable lifes ever experienced here. The loss to the build-ing is about five thousand dollars, fully insured. Loss of personal property and stock in stores on the first floor will equa-that amount; about two-thirds insured. There were a score of tenants. me narrow escapes were had. A Mrs. Ashburn, on the fourth floor, started to throw her two-year-old child out, but was restrained, and was finally gallantly rescued by two citizens.

Mrs. Harry Gordon, who has been ill,

fainted in her room on the third floor, and was carried out in the nick of time. The entire block was barely saved from the flames. This whole square was burned down ten years ago.

Contagious Blood Poison

There is no poison so highly contagious, so deceptive and so destructive. Don't b too sure you are cured because all external signs of the disease have disappeared, and the doctor says you are well. Many per-sons have been dosed with Mercury and Potash for months or years, and pro-nounced cured — to realize when too late that the disease was only covered up-

Like Begets Like. driven from the surface to break out again, and to their sorrow and mortification find those nearest and dearest to them have been infected by this loathsome disease, for no other poison is so surely transmitted from parent to child as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism. Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison con-

tracted The Sin of the Parent. in early life, for it remains smoldering in the system forever, unless properly treated and driven out in the beginning. S. S. S. is the only antidote for this peculiar virus, the only remedy known that can overcome it and drive it out of the blood, and it does this so thoroughly and effectually that there is never a return of the disease to embarrass or humiliate you afterwards.

cures Contagious Blood
Poison in any and all
stages; contains no
mineral to break down
your constitution; it is
purely vegetable and the only blood puriner known that cleanses the blood and her known that cleanses the blood and at the same time builds up the general

Our little book on contagious blood poison is the most complete and instruc-tive ever issued; it not only tells all this disease, but also how to cure yourself at home. It is free and should be in the hands of everyone seeking a cure. Send for it

are becoming bolder, and more Bryan money could be found yesterday than at any time since the campaign opened. Mr. J. Haskins Hobson, who has been HOW A PRETTY SOCIETY GIRL ESCAPED DREAD CONSUMPTION.

Peruna Used in Time to Save Her Life.

All's Well that Ends Well.

It is the same old story of exposure to cold. The cold passing down the bronchial tubes to the lungs; the developing of a settled cold on the lungs, coughing, expectoration. This is a short road to consumption. Thousands of people have traveled it. Thousands more will travel it and the coming winter will develop an untold multitude of new cases.

In the case of Helen Murphy, the end-ing was a happy one. She started on the road to consumption after catching cold at a reception. Instead of waiting until she became incurable, Peruna was resort-ed to and her life was saved.

It is a pity that every one else in this wide land could not know of this very effective remedy in such cases. The news s spreading fast but a great many people have not yet heard that Peruna is a sure cure in these cases. Peruna cures acute catarrh and chronic

catarrh; catarrh of the head and catarrh of the lungs; catarrh of the throat and catarrh of the stomach. Wherever catarrh may have located itself, whether in the Peruna is sure to eradicate the disease cheated of its prey occurred in the State of Iowa. The report of the case created

or lowa. The report of the case detacted considerable attention at the time, and was furnished us unsolicited by Mr. Henrickson. In a letter to Dr. Hartman, he sets forth some interesting details of his rescue from consumption. He made use of the following language: of the following language: "I have been for years a constant suf-"I have been for years a constant suf-ferer from chronic entarth of the head and threat, which finally worked down into the air passage. In the spring of 1898, I took a severe cold and coughed all summer. I thought I had consumption. Then I had a bar attack of la grippe. After taking a course of Peruna I feel cured of nil these troubles.

cured of all these troubles. Whenever any of our children set sick we give them Peruna and it never falls to cure them. I most heartly testify to the value of Peruna in cases of catarrh and in grippe. I hope this may be the means of others suffering as I did to take Peruna and be cured. We would not be without it in the house."

Generally the first cold of the senson Generally the first cold of the senson is caught in November. With some people this lasts all winter and lays the foundation of chronic catarrh. In the beginning a few doses of Peruna is sufficient to make a permanent cure. Send for Dr. Hartman's latest book on Chronic Catarrh. Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

HENRY HENRICKSON.

GREAT DISPENSER HAS SHORT DOCKET

Sidney Granger Was the Star of Those Who Stood Be-

few reflections at the vacant seats of the reporters, and moralizing upon their reporters, and moralizing upon the tardiness in experience in their accustomed places, call developed to order, with a frown upon his face.

And Sidney Granger was the first to respond. Sidney has a long record, which started when he was a boy, and Commonstate Attorney Richardson remembers.

wealth's Attorney Richardson remembers

him.

"He was a little red-headed nigger," said Mr. Richardson, "and was in 'he Hustings Court on the charge of robbing. He had no lawyer, and th Judge allowed him to conduct his own case, Judge Witt was Commonwealth's-Attorney at that time, and he and Sidney were the consisting course.

"Cal John Smith, said Sidney. "And John was called, and took the

ness stand. 'Did I do this?' asked Sid "Yas, you dund it." said John.
"Wasn't I at home da, air time?"
"No, you wasn't," replied John, 'You

know you dund it. Then Sluney stopped asking ques-

"Then Staney stopped asking questions.

"Do you wish to ask the witness anything further?" asked the Judge.

"Naw, sir, sa'd Sidney, he's been sawn sence I seen him.

Now history repeats itself, for Sidney is in a peck of trouble, and he has no lawyer, and he refuses to talk himself. Experience in the court that taught him to keep his mouth closed.

He is being held on four charges—stealing a barrel of flour, a can of lard and 75 cents from J. L. Dennis, taking a tub of wash from Rosa Epps, appropriating, a carpet from Eliza Reddy, and carrying off a lot of tools belonging to Pheebe Petres.

Ho will answer these charges on Mon-Ralph Carter and Willie Taylor, two

Raiph Carter and wine Taylor, two colored individuals, were held until the 13th instant, as suspicious characters, and John Pettus, a small negro boy, was sent to the negro reformatory for eighteen

SOCIETY TO MEET.

Association to Prevent Cruelty to Chil dren to Start a Building Fund,

he officers of the Society for the Pr this summer, are arranging for a monster entertainment, to be held within a month, entertninment, to be held within a month, for the purpose of starting a building fund. This society started out with a large membership of some of the most prominent and influential ladies and gentlemen n the city.

A meeting of the society will he held

week, for the purpose of making plans The entertainment will be one that will

interest all Richmonders, as one of the prominent business men will make his first public appearance as a prestidigita-

teur.

Mr. Moses May has mastered the mysteries of the great Houdini hand-curl trick and the trunk trick, and has, also, accomplished the great bowl of water trick, introduced here by the Chinese juggler Ching Ling Foo. Mr. May will perform these tricks just as they were seen here in th hands of Houdini and thing Ling Foo. Besides these tricks, Mr. mann tricks, and the entertainment for the society promises to be one of the most novel ever seen here in amateur

Pine I Cur Smcker, A special session of the Planola Club was held at the C'ty Hall yesterday to make final arrangements for the smok r

n.xt week. President C. H. Phillips presided and

upon motion of Captain Cunningham.
Colonel John Murphy was directed to submit a menu card for the banquet.
The committee that waited upon Captain

me perfectly well."

by the Pianola Club.

The question of securing music for the smoker was left to the Music Committee—Messrs. Jacob Reinhardt, Moses May, Thurston Cardoza and the City Hall Quartette. Mr. Moses May, the prestidigitator of the club, was directed to do his hand-ouff trick at the smoker and Electrican Sem. Crowder was told to arrange specially effective electrical effects. The club then adjourned.

A GRAND CONCERT NOVEMBER 13TI

MISS HELEN MURPHY.

The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio:

Miss Helen Murphy, a popular society woman of Oshkost, Wis., is an ardent friend to Peruna. The following is a letter written by Miss Murphy, and gives her opinion of Peruna as a preventive as well as cure for catarrhal aliments:

Gentlemen-"About three months ago I contracted a severe cold at an evening

"We keep a to'tle of it on hand all the time and when I are been out in inclement

reception, which settled on my lungs and threatened to be very serious. As my mother has used Peruna with good results, she sent for a bottle for me and t found that it gave me blessed relief. Before the second bottle was consumed I was welf.

weather, I take a dose or two of Peruna and it prevents my taking any co'd and keeps me perfectly well."

Yours very truly, HELEN MURPHY.

Property Transfers.

The following property transfers were recorded yesterday: recorded yesterday:
Richmond-Charles E. Lowry's trustee
to Arthur W. Goddin, 27 feet on south sile
Park Avenue, 27 feet west of Sycamore
Street, 8364-50.

D. S. McCarthy and wife to Anderson of Federal Street, \$30.

William A. Moneure to Sarah V. Hardtourn Sirest, 39 feet from C Street, 376.
Robert H. Temple to D. O'Sullivan, 66
feet on west side Eighteenth Street, 99
feet south of Grace Street, \$3,08.
Henrico-Finirmount Land Company to
Emmet J. Jennings, 28 6-12 feet on west

side Twenty-first Street between Fair-mount Avenue and R Street, \$55.50. Haw & Conner, special commissioners, to Christian G. Schwam, 180 feet on south

Otho O. Owens, trustee for Mozelle Owens and in his own right, to Richard Brown, 20 3-12 feet on south side Moore

John H. Sweeney's surviving trustee to Richmond Perpental Building, Loan and Trust Company, lot 18 in square 15; lot 6, Trust Company, lot 18 in square 15; lot 6, in square 3; lot 8 in square 30; fot 14 in square 20, and lot 8 in square No. 12, in plan of H ghland Park, \$205.

Wanted to Di .

A young woman, Mary Williams, who came here about a year ago from Balti-more, attempted to commit suicide at an y hour yesterday morning by takcorrosive sublimate. The girl
been the victim of spells
despondency for some time,
twice before made an effort
and her life. She has been living in a house on West Broad Str et. The ambulance was telephoned for at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, and Dr. Gills

Mr. G. W. Sale III.

treated the woman and left br at her place of residence. While the condition of the girl is serious, she has passed the

Officer J. M. Sale, of the Third District, teft Friday night for Durham, N. C., in answer to a telegram calling him to the bedshle of his brother. Mr. George W. Sale, of No. 517 South Pine Street, who is ically ill at his hotel in Durham and expected to two. Mr. George W. Sale ong time held a respons osition with the American Tobacco Com-

WHITE-BREAD EATERS Pin Their Faith to a Shadow.

"I was always a great white bread eater, together with pastry, hot biscuit, and generally used coffee.
"For some years there was no noticeable effects from this diet, but finally the inevitable harmoned. My strength barren inevitable happened. My strength began to fall, mind grew dull and stupid. I could eat but little food and could not

digest that. "I had always been of a happy and "I had always been of the sunny disposition, but now became morose and miserable and very cranky to the other members of the family.

"One morning a new food called 'Grape-Nuts,' appeared on the table. I discovered it had a different taste than the usual battly foods. There was a rich, pleasant

health foods. There was a rich, pleasant flavor that seemed to satisfy me perfectly.

I became fascinated with Grape-Nuts

"I have now used this food three months,

I have now used this tood three months, my strength has increased greatly, my mind is now as 'clear as a bell' and I can go through the wear and tear of a day without feeling at all exhausted. I sleep

without feeling at all exhausted. I sleep perfectly and have gained upwards of 10 pounds in weight.
"I have naticed that strong, healthy people enjoy Grape-Nuts as well as sick people, and it seems to furnish more nourishment than meat or any food I have ever seen. You can publish this but

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into serious

Great Success Awaits the Grove-Avenue Benefit, Being Gotten Up by Miss Gay Ragland.

The concert be ng arranged by Miss Gay Ragland, which is to take place at the Academy of Music Tuesday, November

this city, and the chances are that there will be a very large attendance.

The price of tickets all over the house is uniform, but those purchased may be taken to the Academy next Tuesday and exchanged for reserved-sent tickets.

The comparement will be one of the

try, and she will be supported by artists of the most decided talent, among them Mr. Charles W. Hunter, who has become a general favorite and whose splendid voice has delighted so many; Mr. Conway Gordon, Mrs. Durrett, Capt. Frank W. Cunningham, M.ss Lillian Taylor and oth-

excellent music of the Academy orchestra, under Prof. Moses Stein. Iardella's R. L. I. Blues' Band will also

Mr. Polk Miller is down on the bills

for one of his minitable entertulnments.

Manager Leath has given the Academy
of Music and orchestra free of all charge. and none of those will take part will exact any compensation for their ser-

WAS AN ACCIDENT.

Mortorman Lewis Was Discharged by

Mr. D. H. Lewis, the motorman on the Mr. D. H. Lewis, the motorital of the Traction car that ran over and skiled the little colored child Robert Branch, on Fri-day night, was dismissed by Justice Crutchield last night. A special session of the Police Court

A special session of the Police Court was held yesterday evening immediately after the Coroner's inquest was concluded. A number of citizens were examined, and the testimony was to the effect that the fender of the car caught the child up and then threw it out under the car.

The witnesses were under the impression that the car was under no greater rate of speed than usual, but that the child ran across the sireet directly in front of the car, and that the motorman could not have stopped the car before reaching the child.

The report of the cierk of the Board of Heath for the past month shows fewer deaths than during the previous month.

Major Howard has been asked to look out for a 12-year-old boy named Walter

Avenue, Chicago. Deliver a Lecture.

Medical College.

The contract for wiring the several buildings of the Medical College of Virginia for electric lights has been awarded to the Smith-Courtney Company. The work is to be begun at once. Other improvements at the buildings will be made during the next few months.

Mr. Trigg and Captain Webster, of the Wm. Trigg Company, returned yesterday morning, the trial of the Stockton having been postponed on account of bad weather.

Justice Crutchti d.

the child.

The Coroner's jury returned a verdict

exonerating Mr. Lewis, and declaring that the killing was accidental.

deaths than during the previous month.

The number of white males were 39, while 41 white females died during the month. The total number of colored males was 45, while only 25 females of that race Chicago Boy Missing.

Moses, who has been missing for some time from his home, No. 2007 Langley

Mr. Emil von Kramer will deliver a lec-ture Friday night at North Skie Town Hall, Chestnut Hill, beginning at 8:18 o'clock. His subject will be: "My First Impressions of America." Mr. von Kramer is a very attractive speaker, and doubtless a large crowd will gather to hear him.